

MAKIKAWA LITERATURE

THE PLACE WRITTEN ON HER HAND

第2話

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MAKKI NEVER
HAD PROBLEMS
WITH GIRLS,
BACK IN
SCHOOL.

Ash~
OK, OK-
IT'S
JUST
THAT

OH WAIT,
THEY ARE
ALREADY
HURTING!

MY SIDES
ARE GOING
TO HURT
FROM
LAUGHING
TOO MUCH!

I THOUGHT
THAT SOMETHING
MUST HAVE
HAPPENED
SINCE YOU WANTED
TO TALK SO
SUDDENLY.
BUT WHO KNEW
IT WOULD HAVE
BEEN SO
FUNNY?

HEY!
STOP
LAUGHING!

I'M
BEING
SERIOUS
HERE!

I REMEMBER
YOUR
POPULARITY
PERFECTLY!

BBEH!?
EXCUSE
ME?!

THAT'S
NOT
TRUE...

THE REAL
NAME OF
TSUCCHI
IS
TSUJIHARA
CHIEMI

I WONDER
WHERE
THE PRINCESS
THAT WILL
TAKE AWAY
MY VIRGINITY IS...

TSUCCHI
NEVER EVEN
HAD A
GIRLFRIEND

IT'S THE
BIGGEST ANIME
OF THIS SEASON!
THIS IS A
LIMITED EDITION
BADGE,
YOU DON'T KNOW
HOW HARD IT WAS
TO OBTAIN!

DON'T TELL ME
THAT YOU
DON'T KNOW
MAGICAL GIRL
PRETTY VANILLA!?

I WANT
TO GET A
CUTE
GIRLFRIEND
THAT LOOKS LIKE
PRETTY VANILLA.

AS YOU
CAN SEE,
SHE'S
A HUGE
OTAKU
WHO
LOVES
LOLITA
FASHION

WHO'S
THAT?

THE ONLY
THING
WE HAVE
IN COMMON
IS THAT
WE ARE
BOTH
ATTRACTED
TO GIRLS

NEVER
HEARD
OF HER



EEEEEEH!?
WHAAAAAT!?
ARE YOU FOR REAL!
YOU NEED TO DIE!

RIGHT
NOW

YOU ARE
WASTING
90% OF
YOUR LIFE!

WE WERE
CLASSMATES IN
HIGH SCHOOL,
BUT WE ARE STILL
GOOD FRIENDS
EVEN AFTER
BECOMING
WORKING
ADULTS

I'M NOT
THE ONE
WASTING IT...





WHAT AM I
WAITING FOR?



IT'S
A
CONCERT!

ALRIGHT,
ENTRANCE
WILL
FOLLOW
NUMERICAL
ORDER!

ERTY
LAYING
NIGHT...

NO
RUSHING
PLEASE!

WHA-!

I'M
GETTING
SHOVED!

DON'T
PUSH,
IT'S
DANGEROUS!

WHOSE
CONCERT
IS IT?!

A
LIVE
VENUE!?

YOU
WALKED
OUT
OF
THE
CLOSET!

YOU SEE,
SOMEONE
I KNOW
TOLD ME
TO COME
HERE...

OH, UMMH...
I DON'T
ACTUALLY
HAVE ONE...

YOUR TICKET,
PLEASE!



ANYWAY,
PLEASE
COME
THIS WAY.

WHAT THE HELL?!
THIS IS TOO
EMBARRASSING!
WE ARE IN PUBLIC,
DAMMIT!

AH,
I'M
SORRY!

I WAS
TOLD TO
TELL YOU
THIS!




DAMMIT,
WHAT
EXACTLY
DID SHE SAY
TO HER?

Also,
how did
she know
it was me?

O-OK...

IT'S A
BIT CRAMPED,
BUT PLEASE
WAIT HERE!
SHE WILL
ARRIVE SOON.

IT'S TOTALLY
PACKED!
THIS BAND
MUST BE
FAMOUS...



A close-up, black and white illustration of a character's face, looking down with a serious expression. Their hand is visible, with fingers slightly curled. A large, jagged, starburst-shaped speech bubble originates from the hand area.

THE LIGHT
THAT SHINES
BEFORE A
BATTLE...



A black and white illustration of a character with short, light-colored hair, wearing a jacket with a high collar. They have a thoughtful or slightly worried expression. A large, circular thought bubble is above their head. In the background, there are faint, stylized Japanese characters.

"ARRIVE SOON", UH...
MAYBE THAT GIRL
IS ALSO PART
OF THE STAFF?



IT'S



LIBERTY!

THAT GIRL...?

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WHAT
THE
HELL

IS
GOING
ON!?

BY THE WAY

I HAVE
SOMETHING
TO ANNOUNCE
TO ALL OF YOU
WHO HAVE ALWAYS
SUPPORTED US.



EVERYONE,
THANK YOU
FOR
COMING TODAY.

**SHE'S
THE
VOCALIST!?**



LIBERTY'S BIG DEBUT
HAS BEEN
DECIDED!!!





SO PLEASE,
KEEP
SUPPORTING
US!



IT'S THANK TO
YOUR SUPPORT
THAT WE WERE
ABLE TO
COME THIS FAR
♥

THERE ARE
STILL MANY
BATTLES AHEAD,
BUT TOGETHER
WITH ALL OF YOU

WE WILL
FIGHT
TO THE END!

SHE'S WAY TOO COOL!

かきうっ

THEY ARE FINALLY DEBUTING!
I'M NOT GONNA MISS IT!

THAT WAS AWESOME, RIGHT?

SHE'S WAY
TOO COOL!

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DAMN...

MY LEGS WON'T STOP SHAKING.

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A black and white manga-style illustration. A hand is shown holding a pen, with the pen tip pointing towards the bottom left. The background is filled with dense, diagonal hatching lines. Above the hand, the word "WHY..." is written in a simple, sans-serif font. There are also some large, stylized, handwritten-looking characters above the word, possibly "7/1" and "1".

A close-up of a character's face, showing their eye and a speech bubble. The character has dark hair and is looking downwards with a concerned expression. The speech bubble contains the text:

WHY DID SHE
INVITE A
TOTAL STRANGER
LIKE ME
HERE?

NOT ONLY IS SHE THE VOCALIST IN SUCH A FANTASTIC BAND, SHE'S ALSO GOT A LOT OF FANS TOO.

JUST WHO IS SHE?

Lisa









HERE.

THIS THING
IS IN THE WAY,
WOULD YOU
TAKE IT OFF?

MH...







WHAT!?

I-I'M SO
SORRY!



I APOLOGIZED
INSTINCTIVELY,
BUT DID I EVEN
DO SOMETHING
WRONG?



AND WITH
THAT LONELY
EXPRESSION
ON HER FACE...

SHE
LEAVES
AGAIN.

THE ANGEL
VANISHED
ONCE
MORE

THANK YOU,
THAT WAS FUN.



AS IF
SHE
WANTS
ME

TO
CATCH
HER.

to be continued...